

BRIEF PARAGRAPHS.—"Mulum in Parvo."
—Gen. McClellan is said to be even more popular now in the U. S. army than he ever was before.—The recent move in New York to raise recruits specially for Gens. Fremont and Mitchell, is much censured in some quarters by the Union men in the North.—The New York Express, Journal of Commerce, and Tribune unite with the New York World in articles in opposition to the system of military arrests, and incarceration, without trial, of suspected persons.—The N. Y. Express unites with the World in taunting the New York lawyers for not coming forward to assist, by their legal advice and action, those who have been arrested on warrants from the Secretaries of State and War.—The two "Confederate cavalymen," arrested in Washington on Thursday, turn out to be two U. S. cavalymen "on a spree."—A heavy frost was observed in Cumberland, Md., last Tuesday night.—Large numbers of Federal paroled prisoners, coming into Washington, have been sent to Annapolis.—The late army movements have interrupted the regular running of the trains on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad to some extent; the telegraph yesterday was in working order to Wheeling.—The dry goods trade in New York is now very active.—Gen. Burnside has arrived in Washington.—Gen. Shields remains in Washington.—Gold was quoted in New York, yesterday, at 118½; stock market heavy.—There was an advance yesterday, in Baltimore, of all descriptions of fuel.—Ex-President Fillmore is captain of a Home Guard in Buffalo, N. Y., and drills his company regularly.—The running of the blockade, in and out, by the Confederate steamer Nashville, is much commented on.—Gov. Letcher, of Va., has issued a proclamation calling for troops from the northwestern portion of the State.—There are still rumors about a change in the Cabinet, at Washington, originating, it is thought, only in the attacks made upon Secretary Stanton in some of the Northern papers.—No estimate has yet been made of the number of "contrabands" from the State of Virginia, since the war began; the "total is thousands."—Gen. J. H. Lane, of Kansas, has arrived in Washington.—The informants of the Washington Republican from the battle fields, who have been in the Confederate lines, say that they disbelieve entirely the reports of the Confederates wishing to reunite with the United States.—Rev. Spencer Kenard, of the Baptist church, in Washington, returned from the battle fields, says that the treatment of the Federal wounded by the Confederate officers, surgeons and chaplains, was, in the main, very kind and respectful.

WHAT ARE TRUMPS.—*Spades or Clubs?*—Where might Washington be to day had there been no digging fifteen months since on the Virginia bank of the Potomac? On the Kentucky side of the Ohio river the same process of digging is going on for the protection of Ohio. If Clubs were trumps last week, Spades win the present.—*N. Y. Express.*

An officer of General Sigel's staff says that the loss of General Schurz in the late battle will amount to nearly one half of his command. In the battle of last Friday, in which the corps of Gen. Sigel fought from the commencement to the close, General Schurz had the most difficult tasks assigned to him.

EVACUATION OF WINCHESTER.—A correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer writes from Harper's Ferry as follows:

"The evacuation of Winchester was commenced on Tuesday. All of the Federal forces were withdrawn. Brigadier General White was in command. He brought his whole force into this place, and was not attacked on the way. He had also with him two hundred and fifty paroled prisoners. The men were marched from Winchester along the Martinsburg road, to Bunker's Hill. Here they crossed over to Charleston and marched to Harper's Ferry, which they now occupy.—At Winchester the magazine, which contained a very small amount of powder, was blown up. The large depot, used as a storehouse for grain, was destroyed by fire, with its contents. Four large siege guns were spiked and thrown into the ditch."

B. B. Emery, of the Quartermaster General's Department, who went down with the other clerks to the aid of the wounded, and who left Centreville at 3 p. m., of Wednesday on his return, states the following: He saw the Confederate's baggage wagons loading with forage and stores at Centreville, the stores being those taken at Fairfax Station, and which he thinks must have been of great service to them, as they were certainly in urgent need of supplies. On his applying to them to obtain some bread and meat to feed the wounded men on the battle field offering to guarantee payment for them, they expressed themselves as ready to do so but for the fact that they had none themselves, their supply train not having come up. The wagons, as fast as loaded, were sent off in the direction of Leesburg.

Mr. Hind, the English astronomer, writes that the actual length of the comet's tail is about three millions of miles; that at its least distance from the earth, on the 30th ultimo, it would be thirty-two and a half millions of miles off. In the Southern hemisphere it may be observed for at least six weeks longer than it will be visible in Europe. It will traverse the plane of ecliptic about the 11th instant at a point distant at least two millions of miles from the earth's path.

Gov. Curtin, of Penn., has issued a proclamation recommending the immediate formation, throughout the State, of volunteer companies and regiments, in conformity with the militia act of 1858. He further recommends that in order to give due opportunities for drill and instruction, all places of business to be closed daily at three o'clock P. M.,. The Governors of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Rhode Island were at Providence, R. I., on Thursday, in conference with a delegation of the New York war committee. The object of the meeting is not stated.

The difficulty with the Chippewa Indians, in Minnesota, it is believed, has been amicably settled; but it is feared that some severe fighting will have to take place before the Sioux can be brought to terms. A battle took place at Fort Ridgely on the 23d ult., resulting in the repulse of the Indians.

We learn from the New Hampshire and Maine papers that there was considerable frost on Wednesday morning, and that the tender vines had been much damaged in several places.

FOR SALE LOW, TO MAKE ROOM.
2 second-hand Hack Carriages, in excellent order;
1 second-hand Phaeton, in excellent order;
1 do. large Hearse, just done up by coach maker.
They will be sold, or any one of them, very low, as the space they occupy is wanted.
Apply at **REILLY'S STABLES,**
25 West Lombard street, Baltimore.
Baltimore, Md., sep 2—7t*

PAINTS AND OILS.
LEWIS' PURE WHITE LEAD, Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, Spirits Turpentine, and a full Supply of Colors of all kinds received and for sale at
H. COOK'S
Wholesale and Retail Drug Store, 39, King street.
jy 25

C. C. BRADLEY,
Cabinet, Chair and Sofa Manufactory,
CORNER KING AND ALFRED STREETS,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
HAS constantly on hand, and offers to the public, an excellent assortment of **CABINET WARE, SOFAS and CHAIRS** of every variety, and on the lowest cash terms, which, for durability and finish, cannot be surpassed.
my 16—tf

F. G. SWAINE & CO.,
CHEAP FAMILY GROCERY & LIQUOR STORE,
NO. 26, NORTH ROYAL STREET,
(J. LAPHEN'S OLD STAND.)
KEEP constantly on hand a choice assortment of **GROCERIES**, which they will sell low for cash.
N. B. ICE always on hand. jz 19—tf

REV. C. C. BITTING will resume the duties of his School, on Monday, the 15th inst.
sep 1—2aw2w

WENTWORTH SEMINARY.
FOR Young Ladies—**ALBERT E. BASS-FORD,** Principal.
The duties of this institution will be resumed on Monday, September 15th.
aug 26—2aw2w*

EGGS! EGGS!! EGGS!!!
RECEIVED from the country every day, warranted fresh. Parties wishing them packed in Barrels can be accommodated. For sale to the trade cheap for cash. **JOHN T. COOKE,**
No. 106, Prince street, cor. of Pitt, one square east of the Postoffice.
jy 30—tf

WASHINGTON AND ALEXANDRIA.—The steamer Young America will leave Fowle's wharf, Alexandria, at 9 and 11 A. M., and 1, 3, 5 and 7 P. M.
Leave the foot of Eleventh street, Washington, at 8 and 10 A. M., 12 M., and 2, 4 and 6 P. M.
Fare, 15 cents.
my 26—tf **E. A. RYTHER,** Captain.

ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON.—The steamer **THOMAS COLLYER,** Captain Samuel Gedney, will leave the wharf at the foot of King street, Alexandria, regularly.
Fare, 15 cents.
my 26—tf **SAM'L GEDNEY,** Captain.

THE CITY HOTEL,
CORNER OF ROYAL and CAMERON STS.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
SAMUEL HEFLEBOWER, PROPRIETOR.
THIS old and well-known house continues to offer to the resident sojourning and traveling public every comfort and convenience.
Obliging and attentive assistants, a well-spread table and pleasant sleeping rooms, have long been among the essentials of this establishment.
my 1—tf

SOAPS.
WE have been appointed agents for the sale of a new and very superior brand of **FAMILY WASHING SOAPS**, which we wish to introduce in this market.
Our customers will consult their interests by using these SOAPS. We have in store an our usual large assortment of **FANCY TOILET SOAPS**, viz: Brown Windsor, White do., Honey, Glycerine, Almond, Silver, White and Mottled Castile, Transparent, in Balls and Bars; also Soap Powder, Concentrated Lye, &c., &c., for sale by
LEADBEATER & CO.
8 mo 31 Nos. 5 and 7, South Fairfax street.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
JOB PRINTING OFFICE.
We are prepared to execute, at short notice, and on the lowest terms, all orders for Job Printing—**HAND BILLS, CARDS, BILL HEADS, &c., &c.** Our assortment of **JOB TYPE** is new and excellent, and the style of Printing cannot be excelled.
my 16—tf